

moral grandeur from the truly benevolent considerations which animated and nerve him for the task.

I commend the results of his explorations as worthy of the attention and patronage of Congress.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The reports of the Chief of the several Bureaus attached to this Department will exhibit fully the consideration of all matters coming properly under their cognizance. The gentlemen presiding over these Bureaus have not merely discharged their duties with ability, but have manifested every disposition to adopt and introduce into the service such reforms and improvements as experience and observation suggest.

The Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks exhibits in his report the progress made in establishing a Navy Yard at Mare Island, California, and the state of the public works at other Stations.

It is gratifying to learn, through the reports made to the Bureau of Ordnance and Hydrography, from different vessels at sea, that increased attention is now being paid by the officers to practical gunnery and the instruction of the men in this branch. Interesting information is also furnished that armament and ordnance equipments are generally efficient and satisfactory. It is my design, at an early day, to assign Commander Dahlgren to the command of a vessel to be devoted exclusively to gunnery practice, with a view to the proper training of both officers and men in a duty which, at last, constitutes the real effectiveness of a man-of-war.

The Naval Academy is in successful operation, under the diligent supervision of Captain Goldsborough. There are now attached to it, for instruction, one hundred and sixty-four midshipmen and acting midshipmen. The Board of Examiners for the last year, in their report, express themselves as not merely satisfied with, but really amazed at the remarkable proficiency exhibited by the under-graduates, as well as the graduating class, and as much impressed with the variety, minuteness, and exactness of the teaching and the modes of examination.

For details, I refer you to the report of the Bureau of Ordnance and Hydrography. Every effort is being made to establish this Institution on a proper basis. I am aware of the apprehension that, in the desire to secure an accomplished education, the more practical duties of the naval officer may be slighted. I have reasons for knowing that fears on this point may be dismissed, as there is a settled determination to make seamanship, and the learning necessary to the seaman and more practical duties of the naval officer, paramount and indispensable. The Practice Ship, Lieut. Joseph F. Green commanding, cruised during the summer months, along our Northeastern coast. She had on board the 24 and 44 classes of Acting Midshipmen. The report of Lieut. Green speaks favorably of their proficiency in both seamanship and gunnery.

Gratifying evidences of the high estimation in which the labors of the Naval Observatory are held at home and abroad continue to be received. Several new sheets of the Wind and Current Charts, and an enlarged edition of the Sailing Directions, which accompany them, have been published during the year. The usefulness of this work expands with its enlargement. Other maritime nations, appreciating the value of this plan of investigation, have united in a common system of observations for its further prosecution. It is earnestly suggested by Lieut. Maury, that this system of meteorological research, if extended to the land, would afford for the agricultural interests of the country, and for science too, results quite as important as those which commerce and navigation have already received from it.

Lieut. Gilliss is still laboriously engaged in the discharge of the special duties assigned to him. Of the results of the Astronomical Expedition, transmitted to Congress in July, 1854, two volumes have been published. These embrace a full account of the geography, climate, earthquakes, agricultural, mineral, and commercial resources, natural history, &c., of Chile, together with the narrative of Lieut. Maury's journey across the Andes and Pamperos of the Argentine Confederation. Volume 3 is now in press and will be ready for distribution during the winter. It contains the special observations and a discussion of the solar parallax, the object for which Congress more immediately directed the Expedition. The magnetical and meteorological observations, to form volume 6, have been reduced and tabulated, and the printing will be proceeded with immediately. Considerable progress has also been made in the preparation of volumes 4 and 5; but as they will contain nearly forty thousand observations, of which more than twenty thousand of the stars were never before observed, it is scarcely probable that the last volume will be published in less than eighteen months.

The Nautical Almanac, under the supervision of Commander Davis, is attracting much attention in our own country and abroad. And although the estimates are somewhat larger than formerly, I trust that its merits are such as to secure the honorable consideration of Congress.

After much reflection and attentive observation of the practical working of the present system, I am very favorably inclined to the plan suggested by a predecessor, of establishing a distinct corps in the Navy, whose duty shall be confined to hydrography, ordnance, civil engineering, and other scientific duties. I do not think there need be any addition to the number of officers. There are constantly from fifty to one hundred officers doing hydrographic duty on the Coast Survey, at the Observatory, on Ordnance and other scientific duties, essential to the proficiency of the Navy. Officers cannot attain that complete knowledge of these branches without long and continuous devotion to them. And yet, under the present system, there is a feeling of discontent and dissatisfaction on the part of those who are encountering the hardships, dangers, and privations of sea duty in the place of those who are quietly pursuing their scientific duties amid the comforts of home and family. Let this Corps bear the same relation to the other officers of the Navy that the Staff does to the Line in the Army, and being composed of a certain number of Captains, Commanders, Lieutenants, Masters, and Passed Midshipmen, their promotion in the Corps can be so regulated as not to interfere with the regular promotion of officers more exclusively devoted to seagoing duties. Many officers of excellent judgment and enlarged experience are of opinion that those who are long assigned to these duties, acquire become disqualified for duty afloat, and that constant sea-duty

allows neither the time nor the opportunity for proficiency in the other branches. A bill could be drawn to reach the object desired.

Attention is respectfully invited to the report of General Henderson, the Commandant of the Marine Corps. His long and useful connexion with the Corps, and his ardent devotion to it, entitle suggestions emanating from such a source to attentive consideration. I renew my recommendations heretofore made in regard to this branch of the service. It would certainly contribute largely to its efficiency if some plan could be adopted for introducing heretofore officers who have experienced some of the advantages of a military education either at West Point or Annapolis.

The addition to the number of national vessels suggests the necessity of somewhat increasing the Marines; and their usefulness in checking insubordination and preserving discipline, unquestionably gives great force to the opinion of the Commandant, that the guard on each sea-going vessel should be enlarged. The estimates for this Corps are large, because of the absolute necessity for erecting barracks for its decent and comfortable accommodation at the several Stations.

The Emperor of France having awarded a gold medal to both Surgeon Thomas Williamson and Passed Assistant Surgeon James P. Harrison, of the U. S. Navy, for their professional services to the officers and men of the French steamer-of-war "Chimere," at Norfolk, during the summer of 1854; the Governments of Prussia and Holland having similarly complimented Lieut. Maury for his contributions to science and navigation, I recommend the necessary legislation to enable those officers to accept of the proffered testimonials.

During the past season, the public works at the Navy Yard at Portsmouth, Virginia, were much retarded by the awful visitation of the pestilence which has clothed two cities in the habiliments of mourning. Commodore McKeever and the officers, marines, and many of the civilians at the yard, and the naval medical officers at the Hospital, remained with inflexible firmness at their post during the raging of the frightful malady, discharging their duty to their country, and administering relief to the afflicted. The unflinching fidelity of the marines stationed at the Yard, whose ranks were so sadly thinned by the destroyer, is entitled to special notice, and has won for them the grateful admiration and sympathy of all who can appreciate the value of discipline among soldiers.

Of the whole quantity of hemp purchased during the past year for the Navy, three-tenths have been American. The prospect of furnishing the Navy altogether with American hemp is very encouraging, and also that the Russian and Manilla hems will be superseded by the products of this country. The hemp agent at Louisville, Ky., under date of November 22, 1855, writes that he has a fair prospect of a good supply for this season. The terms of the reception of the American article are made as favorable as possible, and the price paid is that which the best Russian commands.

The estimates for the support of the Navy and Marine Corps, for the year ending June 30, 1857, and for all objects coming under the control of this Department, are, in the aggregate, (being very nearly three millions less than the aggregate estimate for the present fiscal year)

From which deduct special objects, including transportation of the mail in steamships,

Leaves for support of the Navy and Marine Corps,

The estimate for the present fiscal year for the support of the Navy and Marine Corps was

The total amount drawn from the Treasury during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1855, as exhibited by the statement of appropriations for the Naval Service, prepared by the Second Comptroller of the Treasury, was

From which deduct repayments and sums carried to the surplus fund,

Gives, as the total expenditure for all objects under the control of the Navy Department,

But of this amount there was expended for special objects under the control of the Navy Department,

Leaving, as the legitimate expenditures for the support of the Navy and Marine Corps for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1855,

I should do injustice to my own feelings were I to permit this occasion to pass without bearing testimony to the fidelity, diligence, and business habits of the clerks attached to the Navy Department.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

J. C. DOBBIN.

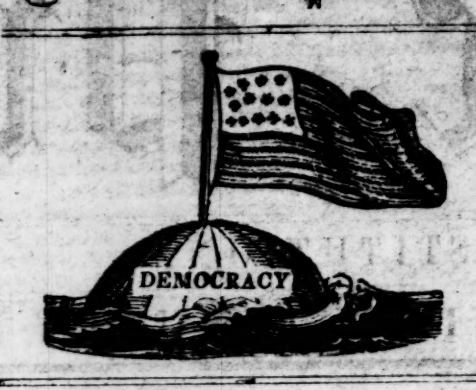
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE CONVENTION OF THE SOLDIERS OF THE WAR OF 1812.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9th.—At the adjourned meeting of the soldiers a resolution was adopted for the appointment of a Committee of one from each State and Territory to frame a Constitution for the Society of the United Brothers of the War of 1812, into which this Convention will be formed.

The old soldiers' Convention adjourned to-day to meet here on the 8th of January 1857.

Democratic Pioneer.



TUESDAY MORNING, Jan. 15, 1856.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

We gave this important document to our readers entire last week, to the exclusion of everything else, not even having space enough left to comment upon it. However, we hope that the paper itself was read by all, so that the necessity for comment was thereby obviated. Still, as many of the topics it discussed were of unusual importance, we desire to allude briefly to some of them.

The President's position upon the Slavery question is so eminently just and conservative—having planted himself firmly upon the rock of the Constitution—that it has received the universal commendation of the South—even the Know-Nothings, who have been taught to think (or to say) that nothing good can emanate from the Democracy, having been compelled, however reluctantly, to give it an unequalled endorsement. This is the highest tribute that could possibly be paid to the President's patriotism and soundness. When Know-Nothings endorse the sentiments of a Democratic President, it may, indeed, be regarded as a compliment. The most captious and fault-finding have failed to pick a flaw in it.

And upon questions of foreign policy, the President has been equally successful in challenging the unqualified commendation of his countrymen, by the frankness, boldness and statesmanlike ability with which he vindicates the rights and honor of the nation. Our relations with Great Britain, growing out of the misinterpretation by that Government of the Clayton Bulwer treaty touching Central American colonization, are of a seriously delicate character. By that treaty, both powers contracted that neither should "occupy, colonize, fortify or assume, or exercise dominion over any part of Central America;" and yet Great Britain, with characteristic diplomatic treachery, continues to "occupy" and to "exercise dominion" over a part of Central America, upon the pretext that the treaty was merely prospective in its operation. The President shows the utter fallacy of such an assumption—its injustice and bad faith. If England be permitted to occupy her former possessions in Central America, it would be absurd in the United States to have their own hands tied. Hence the President gave the requisite notice for the abrogation of the treaty, and lays his views before Congress and the country at length. So firm, so just, so clear, and so patriotic were the sentiments of the President upon this subject, that when the Message was read in the Senate, they received the approval of members from all quarters. Mr. Clayton, who, as Secretary of State, negotiated the treaty, rose in his place, and warmly endorsed the views of the President, as also did a number of the Senators. And he is called the "foreign" President! and his party the "foreign" party! What a strange spectacle was that presented in the Senate, when Mr. Clayton, who has been prominently spoken of as the Know-Nothing candidate for the Presidency, arose and expressed his concurrence in the foreign policy of this "foreign" President! How severe, and yet how just, a rebuke did he administer to those who hypocritically profess to believe that the administration party is a "foreign" party! If the Democracy be the "foreign" party, how comes it that this leading Know-Nothing endorses its views? And more than this, how comes it that these same libellers of their countrymen stand dumbfounded in the presence of such lofty and national sentiments as those uttered by a President whom they pretend to consider an unsafe repository of our foreign relations? Why are they silent; or, better still, why do some of them speak out in praise of the President's views, if he be not a true patriot? The truth is, Franklin Pierce soved above all mere party considerations in the patriotism which his message indicates; and, if the Know-Nothings fail to imitate his example, it will be because of their own wickedness and bitterness of soul. In their hearts they know that the honor of the country is safe in his hands—that he is a patriot, and that he loves his country as well at least as they do.

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MORE LEFT of these splendid Lin-
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 Be here! is the place.
 JAS. SMITH, 33 Main street.

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 Nos. 2-25, 8-25, and 3-20, Gilling
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Autobiographic Sketches, Giving selections grave and gay, from writings published and unpublished, by Thomas L. Quincey—75c.

The Story of an Apple, illustrated, by John Albest—50c. The above, with many other new works, just published by

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NOVEMBER 20th.

Large lot of BOY'S CLOTHING received to-day.
FRANK VAUGHAN & CO.

WOLLELM, Monro, Silk, Cotton & 1/2 Line under clothing on hand and made to order.
FRANK VAUGHAN & CO.

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HARDWARE, CUTLERY AND GUNS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
FALL 1855.
ALLEN, ROSE & CAPPS,
TAKE PLEASURE in calling the attention of their Virginia and North Carolina friends, (especially the Mercantile class.) to their extensive assortment of **GENERAL HARDWARE**, a large portion of which was imported with a special view to the Fall and Winter wholesale trade, and the Merchant, Mechanic and Farmer, will bear in mind, that under the circumstances of not being able to make our usual fall sales, our assortment of Hardware can be purchased on wholesale terms, at greatly reduced prices. Call and examine for yourselves.

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SEEDS
Our Catalogue and Almanac is published every first of each year, and may be had, *gratis*, at our new Agricultural and Iron and Seed Depot, No. 11, Widdowater Street, Norfolk, Va.

MULLETS! MULLETS!
125 This Superior article of Mulletts.—
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THE subscriber intends keeping constantly on hand **COTTON BAGS**, just the thing
for bagging cotton. B. T. MILLER,
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HOUSE CARPENTERS.
ALLYN, ROSE & CAPPS,
 HAVE just received a sample lot of very superior full size Planes, from a new maker celebrated for their superiority of finish as well as size and weight. Consisting of the following:—
 Bench Planes, Box Wood do., Match do., Hollows and Roundes do., Double Box Wood do., Smooth do.
 With many other patterns of Planes, and a large variety of General House Carpenters Hardware.
 Call and see us: **AS 22. 62** dec 18

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SHAWLS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
 Plaid, French Thibet Cashmere, &c.
 Cape Shawls at a great bargain.
 The Bee Here is as cheap as ever.
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OIL CLOTHS. A very large stock of all widths and all prices from 10 cents to \$1.37 per square yard.

Paper Hangings, stock large and small, with Border, Fire, &c.

Transparent Shades, Furniture Oil Cloth, Oil Cloth, Bed, Mattresses, &c.

Persons wishing to purchase would do well to call, before will sell cheap. W. A. WALTERS, oc 5

No. 34, Main street, Norfolk, Va.

PRINCIPAL FEATURES.

ONE PRICE ONLY. Five per cent. discount for all cash sales. Small profit and quick sales. Short standing of accounts.

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J. B. DYER,
DRAPER AND TAILOR,
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.
To his patrons in his immediate vicinity, of the County of Pasquotank and the adjacent counties, the undersigned has the honor to respectfully tender his thanks for the liberal patronage which they have bestowed upon his establishment, from its commencement to the present time. In making his selections for the present Spring and Summer, he has endeavored to give a decided character to his goods, and to induce an exercise of taste and fancy unsurpassed even by himself. As a part of his stock, to which he has given the early attention of the public generally, he enumerates the following, to wit:

CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES—Blue, black, brown, green and fancy colored. **VESTINGS**—Black, blue, green and fancy colored. **SHIRTS**—White, blue, green and fancy colored. **TRUNKS**—Black, brown and fancy colored. **BOOTS**—Black, brown and fancy colored. **SHOES**—Black, brown and fancy colored. **HATS**—Black, brown and fancy colored. **GLOVES**—Black, brown and fancy colored. **STOCKINGS**—Black, brown and fancy colored. **UNDERWEAR**—Black, brown and fancy colored. **ACCESSORIES**—Black, brown and fancy colored.

JAMES B. DYER,
April 17, 1853.

FOREIGN: A tale of The Twelve Hundred and Forty and Ten, by Walter Scott. The discovery of this work has created an immense excitement in Europe. Some doubt its genuineness, but the most eminent critics of the age and principal literary gentlemen in Europe, who have examined the documents, have pronounced it to be a genuine work. Mr. Philbrick Scott, who is a personal friend of Sir Walter Scott, and is one of the most distinguished writers of France, says that he has read the work, and that it is so rich in humor, rapid and brilliant in its descriptions of scenery, and so judicious, that no mind but Sir Walter Scott's could have conceived it.

VICKERY & GRIFFITHS,
City Book Store, 19 Main St., Norfolk, Va.
April 17, 1853.

MODE DE PARIS.
To TAKE GREAT PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING to my customers and the public, that I have just opened a splendid assortment of **PARIS HATS.** Opera, Merino, Silk and Mourning, a new and the first ever imported in America; fashionable dress Mole Skin, and soft rich and elegant superior quality, and a great variety of personally selected during my late tour in Europe. Those who wish to have the latest and most fashionable hats, and who desire to have them made, as celebrated for their elegance, durability and cheapness, are respectfully invited to give me an early call.

MILLINERY, &C.
Woodville, Perquimans Co., N. C.
Subscriber has just received from the North a superb stock of Millinery, consisting of Bonnets, Trimmings, Ribbons, &c., which she invites the attention of the ladies of the adjacent counties. Her prices are as low as at least one-third less than the rates elsewhere. She desires to close out her Spring stock as early as possible, and therefore offers great inducements. Call early and examine for yourselves. **MRS. E. STEVENSON,**
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WHAT CLEANING OUT SALE OF
Cloth, every color and style, Merino, and Satin Velvets and Moire Antelope and Colored Cloaks, seen in the best assortment ever, seen in the city, now open for the inspection of the public at the Bee Hive, viz: Colored and Black Cloth Cloaks, from \$20 each. Moire Antelope and Satin, from \$12 to \$40. Black and Colored Satin, from \$10 to \$20 each. Merino lined and wadded, from \$2 to \$3. Greatest bargains ever offered in Norfolk. Call down as they are sold off rapidly.

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MULLETS!! MULLETS!!
Bbs Superior article of Mulletts. Just received and for sale by **W. T. & J. M. HINTON.**

SOMETHING FOR CAPTAINS OF VESSELS.
The subscriber intends keeping constantly on hand **COTTON BAGS**, just the thing for bagging corn, &c. **B. T. MILLER,**
Broad Water St.

NOTICE.
A LI persons having claims against the estate of the late Mrs. M. H. H. are requested to present them to the undersigned for payment; that those indebted to the same will please make payment to him without delay.

BUFFALO ROBES.
A FULL AND FRESH SUPPLY OF ALL sizes and qualities, sold very low at the Temple of Fashion.

CHARLES E. LOWTHER,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
GATESVILLE, N. C.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.
The stake-light at the mouth of Pasquotank river has been removed to the site of the Light House now in course of erection at Wade's Point, in the immediate vicinity of the station of the Light Boat, withdrawn last Spring.

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THE CITY, BOOT AND SHOE STORE
KNOX & JACKSON.
(Successors to J. M. Wheelbee.)
WOULD inform their friends and the public generally, that they have just received from Philadelphia, a large and varied assortment of

Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Trunks, &c.
Their stock, if examined, will be found to consist of the following articles:—Ladies' boots and shoes, Gaiter boots, black, brown, and other colors; Linen gaiters; English and French kid; French and American Morocco leather; besides various low-priced boots and slippers. Misses' boots, boots and slippers; black, brown and other colored gaiters; French kid, patent leather, and other boots; Children's boots, slippers, and gaiter boots; Morocco welt; assorted lace do.; colored gaiter do. of superior quality.

GEORGE L. HYATT,
Nos 444 and 446 Pearl-Street, (near Chatham.)
E City, April 24, 1855.

CARPETS, OIL-CLOTHS, &c.
At Low Prices for Cash!
GEORGE L. HYATT,
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TO OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS.
In presenting ourselves to our patrons and the public at this time, we again have to acknowledge our obligations for the friendly and liberal patronage which we have been so long and so abundantly enjoying. We are now in our 37th year, and our prospects are more flattering. We always have and ever shall endeavor to acquire our business principles by just and equitable means. We are now in a position to offer to our patrons a large and varied assortment of goods, which we are confident will be found to be of superior quality and at low prices. We are now in a position to offer to our patrons a large and varied assortment of goods, which we are confident will be found to be of superior quality and at low prices.

FAN MILLS.
Will that will separate from your Wheat all impurities, such as Chaff, Straw, &c., and make it perfectly clean for market, or for seed? If so, send an order to Farmer H. or to the undersigned, and you will receive a large and varied assortment of goods, which we are confident will be found to be of superior quality and at low prices.

FLETCHER'S STUDIES ON SLAVERY.
Studies on Slavery—In Easy Lessons compiled into light studies, and subdivided into short lessons for the convenience of readers, by John Fletcher. **J. R. SMALL & CO.,**
Union St., Norfolk, Va.

NEW FALL STOCK OF MILLINERY GOODS!
The subscriber takes occasion to return her most sincere acknowledgments to the ladies of Elizabeth City and surrounding country, for a very liberal and generous patronage bestowed upon her, and to announce that she has taken the stand formerly occupied by Mrs. Esther Sikes, where she has laid in a large and well selected stock of

STRAW CUTTERS.
SINCLAIR'S SCREW PROPELLER Straw Cutters. Price \$50. Cuts Straw, Slacks, Fodder, Oats and all kinds of feed for stock, in the best manner. Also our new Straw Cutters, with 1 knife very simple, and cuts all kind of food. Harvey's Raw Hide Cutter, Smith's Virginia, &c. Boston cheap. "Daniel's Patent do" all for sale at Factory prices.

CABINET MAKING.
The subscribers having purchased the PATENT IMPROVEMENT OF CASES, with their entire stock of materials, and stock of READY MADE FURNITURE, and having secured the services of competent and experienced workmen, they beg leave to inform the public that they are now prepared to furnish or make to order any article in their line upon the most reasonable terms, upon the shortest notice, and in the highest finish and most approved patterns.

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Carriages, Rockaways, Buggies, Sulkeys, Harness, &c.
They have just received a large and varied assortment of goods, which we are confident will be found to be of superior quality and at low prices. We are now in a position to offer to our patrons a large and varied assortment of goods, which we are confident will be found to be of superior quality and at low prices.

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